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ORDER RETURNING UNDOCKETED APPEAL TO EXAMINER

This application was electronically received by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences on August 24, 2009. A review of the application revealed that it is not ready for docketing as an appeal. Accordingly, the application is herewith being returned to the Examiner to address the following matter requiring attention prior to docketing.

EXAMINER'S ANSWER, HEADINGS

A review of the file indicates that the Examiner's Answer filed April 1, 2009, does not comply with the guidelines provided in MPEP

§ 1207.02, because it does not contain all of the required heading items.

Specifically, a review of the Examiner's Answer reveals that the appendix entitled "(2) Related Appeals & Interferences," is missing from the Examiner's Answer.

Correction is required.

The Examiner may issue a PTOL-90 to correct the above deficiencies.

CONCLUSION

Accordingly,
it is ORDERED that the application is returned to the Examiner:

- 1) to vacate the Examiner's Answer mailed April 1, 2009;
- 2) to generate a new Examiner's Answer in compliance with the guidelines; and
- 3) for such further action as may be appropriate.

If there are any questions pertaining to this Order, please contact the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences at 571-272-9797.

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